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SUBJSKT: THE OPEC CRISIS

1. EL TIEMPO, QUITO'S OPPOSITION DAILY, CARRIED AN EDITORIAL DECEMBER 23 SHARPLY CRITICIZING OPEC FOR GRAVE INEFFICIENCY OF THE BLOC SO FAR IN UTILIZING THEIR SUBSTANTIAL INCOME."

2. "NOT A SINGLE EXCEPTION CAN BE FOUND TO CONFIRM THE RULE, SINCE NOT A ONE OF THE 13 OPEC MEMBERS CAN SHOW AT THIS TIME EITHER PROGRESSIVE ACHIEVEMENTS OR SOCIAL CREDITS OF SUFFICIENT MAGNITUDE IN BENEFIT OF THE LARGES MASSES OF POPULATION.

3. "WHILE PAINFUL LIVING CONDITIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED FOR THE DESERT NOMADS, THE INHABITANTS OF AFRICAN HUTS, THE RESIDENTS OF THE CARACAS SUBURBIO (SLUM), AND THE MIGRANTS TO QUITO OR GUAYAQUIL, THE SCANDALOUS LUXURY OF THE PRIVILEGED ELITE, THE STRICTLY BUREAUCRATIC EXPENDITURES, THE PURCHASE OF INSTRUMENTS OF DEATH AND THE ENORMOUS INCOME OF THOSE WHO TRAFFIC IN THESE BECOME DAILY MORE ABYSMAL.  
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